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CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. J. V. Henderson of Vulcan, wishes to thank her many friends for their kindnesses towards her during her period of sickness whilst in Arrowood hospital.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mr. Poole, of the Great West Saddlery, Calgary, spent Friday in town. Miss Erma Cline has accepted a position in High River.

Misses Mary and Lena Phillips spent a few days in Calgary last week.

Born at Mrs. E. Speer's private hospital on March 3rd, to Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hollister, of Vulcan, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Holden and daughter, Miss Beth Holden, of Brant, motored to Vulcan on Monday.

Mr. Clifford McLean, who has been spending the winter with his uncle, Mr. W. McLean, left Thursday night for his home in Orville, Washington.

Dance at Reid Hill Community Hall. Les Cranes Canadiens on Wednesday, March 13, \$1.75 a couple, extra lady 50c, lunch included. Dancing nine until two.

Dance at Reid Hill Community Hall—Lethbridge Melody Quartette on Tuesday, March 19th, couple \$1.50, extra lady 50c, lunch included. Dancing nine until two.

Mrs. A. Warner and family spent a few days with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warner, at Reid Hill.

Miss J. Kistie, who has been working for the past year in Vulcan, is now working in the Eaton Groceries at Calgary.

A splendid line of Easter Hats on display at the Vulcan Millinery. Also new braids and felts and combinations of the newest materials. Felt and silk hats for the little lady as well as for the older daughters. Please come and inspect.—C. C. Packwood.

Services at the St. Aldhelm's Church on Sunday, March 10th as follows: Sunday School 10 a.m.; Holy Communion 11 a.m.; and Evensong 7:30 p.m. The sermon for the evening service will be "The Rite of Confirmation."

Mr. W. Mawer, who for the past year has been farming near Kirkcaldy, moved to Barons where he is managing one of the Red and White stores. Mr. Mawer spent a couple of years in the service of McLaggan & Manson prior to his removal to Kirkcaldy.

Mr. B. D. Lockhart, of Reid Hill, enjoyed a perfectly clear conversation with friends at Sussex, New Brunswick, through the Vulcan exchange the other day. This is the longest distance covered by a call from the local centre to date.

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VULCAN, ALBERTA

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mr. Jack Marshall is spending a few days in Calgary.

Mr. Tommy Brooks spent the week-end visiting friends in Calgary.

Mr. Allan Parker was a Calgary visitor over the week-end.

Miss Betty Field, former Vulcan girl, has joined the T. Eaton staff in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Sharpe, of Shoolice, formerly of Reid Hill, spent Monday in town.

A number of young folks motored to Ensign Friday night to attend the dance.

Mr. Bud Elston, formerly of Ensign, who spent the winter in Portland and other points in the States, returned home last week.

The Hudson Bay-Marland Co. has commenced drilling on the Watkins' farm, section 9-16-23, about 10 miles south-east of town.

Mr. Howard Mills left Vulcan on Thursday night for High River, where he played senior hockey with Nanton against High River.

The attendance at the rink on Thursday night last was fair. Everyone enjoyed skating to the music of the band.

Miss Muriel Holden, of the Cinderella Beauty Parlor, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Holden, of Brant.

A number from town attended the wedding dance held at the Sunset Valley school on Friday night given by Mr. and Mrs. W. Burgess from that district.

Miss McLeod, who has been spending a few days with her cousins, Mrs. Fenton and Mrs. Mason, both of town, returned to her home at Okotoks.

Mr. Tommy Wilson, formerly of McLaggan & Nanson, left Monday noon for Medicine Hat, where he expects to make his home. Mrs. Wilson expects to join him shortly.

There will be a play and dance at Red Cross school house on Friday, March 22nd, under the auspices of the Redlandview Women's Institute. Further particulars next week.

It is reported that Mr. O. A. Craig, of the C.P.R., had his operation for goiter Saturday. So far the operation has proven satisfactory and many friends here are hoping for a speedy recovery.

In the poster issued from this office for the farm sale of Elmer C. Dovey there is an error to which we wish to call attention. The location of the sale is eight miles north and three west of Vulcan, and not eight miles north-west, as stated.

Everyone should attend the meeting in the Memorial Hall on Thursday, March 14th, when the matter of the organization and encouragement of all kinds of sport in Vulcan will be fully discussed. The meeting is called for 8 o'clock p.m.

Mrs. Arthur Warner and two sons, Bobby and Donald, who have been spending a short vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Daines, left Monday night for High River, where she will join her husband. Mr. Warner has been moved to Vancouver in the Royal Air Force.



SCHOOL GROUNDS PRETTY

Mr. F. W. Ish, caretaker at Vulcan school, has a pretty display of plants on the school premises, which he has cultivated with such care that at the present time he has in bloom begonias, patience plants, daffodils, hyacinths, Easter lilies and other flowers, besides English ivy and a plum tree in full leaf.

Flower beds are being laid out this season by Mr. Ish, and the grounds of our educational institution should present a very pretty appearance during the summer months.

The school board rendered assistance in the purchase of necessary supplies, and the school boys by carrying snow which is melted in the furnace room, thus supplying necessary water for the plants.

MRS. TOM WILSON SHOWERED

About seventeen of the younger set gathered at the home of Mrs. Bert Innes last Thursday evening for the purpose of a shower in honor of Mrs. Tom Wilson (nee Miss Georgie McKie) who was recently married. A social evening was spent in music and games, and a dainty luncheon was served by the hostess which was thoroughly enjoyed. The guest of honor was the recipient of many beautiful presents and a very enjoyable party ended at midnight by the singing of the National Anthem.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

A kitchen shower was given for Mrs. Wilson at the home of Mrs. Lambert on Saturday, March 2nd, when about twenty guests were present.

The evening was spent in a guessing contest and other amusements, and at 9:30 Norma McLaggan came in dressed as a bride, in a decorated automobile, towing a wagon loaded with gifts. At 10:30 a dainty lunch was served by the hostess and Mrs. Sheffield, and a most enjoyable function was brought to a close.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. A. Melvor, of the J. I. Case Co., was home over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Arney motored to Calgary, where they spent a few days last week.

Mr. F. C. Keiver was a visitor to High River on Tuesday. Frank went to meet his brother-in-law, Mr. F. C. Gibbs and to assist the latter in the selection of a bunch of horses.

There may be better towns than Vulcan for shopping in, but they are hard to find these days, when quality, price and service are such great factors with the buying public. Do your shopping here.

The Ladies Aid of the United Church will hold a sale of home cooking, candy and aprons on Saturday, March 23rd in the Sunday school room of the United Church, from three to five o'clock. Afternoon tea will be served. Everybody welcome. Mar. 7-2c

Vulcan Women's Institute will hold their annual old time St. Patrick's dance on Friday, March 15th, in the L.O.O.F. hall. Bird's orchestra will provide the usual good music and the ladies will supply good eats in abundance. Come and have a real good time. Mar. 7-2c

"Dawn," the celebrated motion picture, was presented here on Monday under the able direction of the Vulcan Branch of the Canadian Legion. A full house greeted both shows, a large crowd waiting fully half an hour for the second showing. Special music and effects were used, and the big crowd thoroughly enjoyed the entertainment. Mar. 7-11c

Mr. B. J. Lommatzsch was an auto visitor to Calgary Friday; he expected to return Saturday but fate ruled otherwise. On the return journey something went wrong with the steering gear, the car went into the ditch and a broken wheel was the result. Fortunately no one was injured, and Mr. Lommatzsch arrived home Monday.

Regular monthly meeting of the Vulcan W. I. held Friday, March 1st, with Mrs. McMann in the chair. Meeting opened by repeating Creed and saluting flag. Arrangements were completed for the annual St. Patrick's dance to be held on Friday, March 15th. Mrs. E. G. McPherson very kindly consented to act as president for the next three months. Mrs. Schenck and Mrs. Parslow were elected delegates to attend the provincial convention in Edmonton in May. Mrs. A. T. Martin gave a splendid paper on Immigration. After singing "God Save the King" about thirty-five ladies sat down to a very dainty lunch served by Mrs. House, Mrs. Peterson and Mrs. Dadds.

Divine services as usual at the United Church next Sunday morning and evening. Special music will be rendered at the evening service by the choir under the leadership of Mr. Bird. Everybody welcome.

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CHURCH OF CHRIST NEWS

At the Church of Christ, March 10th, we invite attention to the following program. At 10:30 the minister will bring the message. Subject, "Greater Works."

At 11:30 another great Bible School. That was a fine increase last Lord's Day, and with the organization of a class for the younger married people there will be another forward movement. We invite the men and women of middle age to attend. Bro. Jack Deans will teach and this assures the success of the class. At 7:15 the Christian Endeavor will hold another of their fine meetings.

The song service starts at 8:00, followed by the sermon subject "What Will You Do With Jesus?"

This great question must be settled now. Never mind the big howl that goes up when truth overthrows error. The good people see and obey. The public invited.

LOCAL MIXED BONSPIEL

Tuesday evening the final game in the above bonspiel was played, thus ending a very enjoyable series of games which have provided fun for many and which have discovered about twenty new curlers. The entries comprised odd curlers as well as novices, and, of course, the fair sex was well represented. Following are the skips for the first draw, with the name of the winner printed first in each case: Green-Hill; Robson-Dodds; Wolfe-Willard; Whicker-Brown; Elves-Flood; Dickinson-King; Peterson-Branton; Morden-Collier; Butchart-Spaeth; Carson-Jones; Keiver-Sutherland; Graham-Holmes; Maber-Holmes; Clark-Marshall; Allan-Le-Bow; Burke-Barker; Hill-Dodds; Brown-Willard; Flood-King; Branton-Collier; Spaeth-Jones; Sutherland-Holmes; Marshall-Holmes; Barker-Le-Bow.

The victors in the eights were Robson, Elves, Keiver, Clark, Brown and Barker, and in the semi-final Elves beat Keiver and Barker, beat Brown.

In the final game Barker, led the winner.

Another 'spiel is now in progress and we will be glad to print results next week.

LOCALS IN CALGARY BOXING TOURNEY

In the Calgary boxing eliminations at the Canadian Legion, Calgary, on Tuesday, Dannie Campbell was up against Davie James in the final, junior class 5; and Theron Vaughn, also of this town, was matched against Jim Mathers in the lightweight open.

In the bout between Jack Pleasant and James on Monday evening, the Vulcan entry was not able to put it over his opponent who gained the decision.

On Tuesday evening a capacity house, including many from Vulcan, thronged the Legion auditorium when the finals were carried out with a hitch.

Two bouts of particular interest to Vulcan people were: Mathers vs. Vaughn, and Campbell vs. James, in which the local boys went down to defeat but not dishonor. In the former encounter Vaughn put up a good fight but was defeated by the larger experience of his opponent; and in the latter bout the Vulcan lad sometimes had the edge on his opponent, especially in the final round, but the Calgarian was a good winner.

WILL LOSE NO TIME

Work on the new A. P. elevator is already progressing rapidly, the Alberta Pacific Grain Company, Limited having lost no time in preparing for business on the old stand.

The contract is in the capable hands of the A. C. Robertson Co., of Calgary, who have already got the new pit in readiness, the frames are also in place and into them is being poured cement from the mixer on the job.

A five bin coal shed is also part of the business plant, and, altogether fourteen cars of lumber will be required to complete the new building which will have a capacity of one hundred thousand bushels, and which will be electrically operated and modern in every way.

A learned doctor declares that the brains of dead men reveal nothing. A caustic critic replies that the brains of quite a number of live men are equally blank.

The Good Deeds W.I. will meet at the home of Mrs. Charles Smith on Thursday March 14th. The meeting will open with a report of the convention at Medicine Hat by Mrs. Spaeth. Following, Mrs. Robert Irwin will present a paper on "Famous Irishmen." A prize will be given to the member having the best Irish joke in answer to "Roll Call." All ladies are welcome.

IN AND AROUND THE CLUB

The boys are taking to the "Physical Jerks" like a duck to water. Sometime in the near future we are going to have a bunch of real athletes in this town.

The girls, too, are waxing enthusiastic and we sure like to have them around.

Now for the older boys and their Dads. The latter will sure find they have more muscles than they ever thought of.

Frankie Jackson and his boxing proteges will have gone through the Amateur Tournament in Calgary before this appears, but we sure wish them luck, and whether they win or lose we are proud of sending the boys and having Vulcan represented. Watch out for next year.

What do you think of the Athletic Association idea? Would advise everyone to get behind it. By having all sports properly organized and supervised we should soon have the athletic horizon this summer.

"Tex" says the boys will go into the finals, and he has gone to Calgary to see that they do.

Checkers is having quite a few devotees these days, but the "Bridge" and "Rummy" still hold on.

The "Major" has arrived back, and thinks Vulcan is about the best place never to leave.

Wonder how a "Whist Tournament" would go? Well we are going to try it once anyway.

Then we will try a "Bridge Tournament." "Try" should be in small letters.

The Town are going to give us a new sidewalk in front "NOT." Well it will keep out some of the mud, and "Below" says something is better than nothing even if it is only an old sidewalk.

The Essay Competition sponsored by us whilst not a success in point of entries nevertheless is a start, and the judging will take place this week. Some girl will be lucky, but what is wrong with the boys? Never mind we will soon have another one, and I bet the judges will have their work cut out.

Watch this column every week—that is if the Editor and "Joe" will let us have the space.

NO LOCALITY IS IMMUNE FROM WINDSTORM

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THE TARIFF QUESTION

Another disturbing element in the continuance of good relations between two neighboring countries is the tariff question. The New York World speaks plainly of what the action of the United States on tariff revision will lead to. It says:

It is high time for the Republican leaders in Washington to stop long enough in a mad scramble for increased tariff duties to see where their plans are taking us. The present tariff agitation is not only counteracting any positive effects that may have been achieved by Mr. Hoover's goodwill tour among our neighbors to the south; it is plainly having equally undesirable effects on the good will of our neighbor in the north. If the tariff spokesman have their way there will be a virtual embargo on Canada's exports of foodstuffs and raw materials to the United States. This possibility has already started a discussion over the border of retaliatory measures. Canada is now our best consumer. Her recent purchases of our products have placed her ahead of Great Britain in this respect. But these purchases will not hold up if the high tariff advocates get what they are after. Canadian imports amount to only a drop in the bucket when compared with our total domestic consumption, but to their producers the loss of his market will mean disaster. It will not be necessary for these producers to organize a boycott against American goods. With our tariff rates sufficiently high they have to refrain involuntarily from buying.

MONEY IN INTENSIVE DAIRYING

An authority on economics has made the statement that: "Never again need we expect a price for our products so high that we can afford to farm carelessly." Something to think about there. During the Great War and after, there was a period when almost anyone could make money farming. The careless farmer was prosperous as well as the more careful member of the community, but the latter had the more sizeable bank balance. Since the deflation the careless farmer has been having a hard time of it and the careful man has been complaining but nevertheless making a living. Recently the manager of a branch bank in one of the most intensive dairy sections of eastern Canada stated that he had plenty of customers who were banking \$1,000 or more yearly from 100 acre farms. These were good dairymen. At the same time in the same community there were many sheriff's sales within a few months. Efficiency is now a necessity as well as a business virtue.

RUNNING THE TOWN

"There are always a few people in every village or city who complain that a certain set of men want to 'run the town,'" says the Municipal World which adds: "But those who kick most are usually those who do nothing to assist in the civic work of their communities. Many who never attend a public meeting, nor even take the trouble to vote, will stand on street corners and criticize their more active and patriotic neighbors who try to get necessary things done. Running the town is not such a delightful pastime as some imagine, and the leaders in every community are men who sacrifice their time and contribute their money to assist movements for the public welfare. Those who are dissatisfied with their leadership should get busy and give a hand, instead of criticizing from the side lines."

NOTES AND COMMENTS

"Why do we Exercise?" is the title of a magazine article. One reason is that we may beat the other fellow.

After Spinoza's death, his barber sent in a bill addressed to "Mr. Spinoza of blessed memory." Our creditors are invited to note that there are some disagreeable things that can be done gracefully and opportunely.

The government of Saskatchewan is asking the Dominion government to extend the boundaries of that province so it will have a port on Hudson's Bay. It is really necessary, if the Saskatchewan navy is to be kept in being and its merchant marine is to have access to the seven seas.

Miss Morrow has landed Lindbergh and it wasn't a forced landing either. Looks as if Dan Cupid has taken to using Archies as well as arrows.

John Bull simply can't understand you know, why they call a certain Senator in the United States the corn Borah.

Some members of the Winnipeg City Council think that all municipalities in Canada are over-policed. Perhaps, perhaps. But see how good we are!

Mining development due for a setback, says a market report. Maybe the promoters are running out of names.

Toronto University students are having a row with the Faculty, and evening newspapers there take the side of the students. It is possible the students are right. It is certain they are more numerous.

Sir George Foster says there will never be another Great War. Another triumph of hope over experience.

They can talk as they like, but things have not been going nearly so well in Chicago since King George took sick.

Parliament did well to give short shrift to the proposal that parliament and not the government should give authority for bank mergers. Bank mergers may be bad, but bank failures are worse, and in every case but one, where mergers were authorized, failures would have taken place before parliament could act.

Hon. Charles Stewart sees no reason why Canada should pay people to come here. All right. Now, does he see any reason why we should pay people to induce people to come here? All danger now is past and gone. Rest easy, all ye anxious folk.

The battle's fought, the victory's won.

King George is able now to smoke.

Another simile: "Useless as a No Parking sign in a snow bank." (Saw one the other day).

There is a daily newspaper in Canada so good that, although it has occasion to use the word quite frequently, always prints it "h—l." Some time or other, its readers are going to find out to their horror that "h—l" is pronounced as if spelled "hell" that in fact it is hell.

Names of gangsters indicate that United States has not functioned as a melting pot. At any rate, it does not show 100 per cent. efficiency in turning out 100 per cent. Americans.

It is suspected now that the Chicago gangsters who in the guise of policemen, massacred seven rival gangsters, got their big idea from a fiction-writer in the Saturday Evening Post. We never knew until now what Pope meant by saying that "a little education is a dangerous thing."

A church can employ the modern methods of publicity—provided they be dignified as well as effective—with out sacrificing the holiness of its purpose. Rev. Father Gerald McShane, pastor of St. Patrick's, Montreal, claimed lately in the course of an address on the problems of financing a parish church and its affiliated welfare work, "You cannot run a church on prayers alone," said Father McShane. "You must have revenue too." He continued the church must be kept in the minds of people through the medium of publicity.

You could keep the boys on the farm if you bought them tractors that made sixty miles an hour.

A FATHER TO HIS SON

Listen son! I am saying this to you as you lie asleep, one little paw crumpled under your cheek, and the blonde curls stickily wet on your damp forehead. I have stolen into your room alone, just a few minutes ago, as I sat reading my paper in the library, a hot, stifling wave of remorse swept over me. I could not resist it. Guilty I came to your bedside. These are the things I was thinking son: I had been cross with you. I scolded you as you were dressing for school because you gave your face merely a dab with a towel. I took you to task for not cleaning your shoes. I called out angrily when I found you had thrown some of your things on the floor. At breakfast, I found fault too. You spilled things, you gulped down your food, you put your elbows on the table, you spread butter too thick on your bread, and as you started off to play and I made for my train, you turned and waved a little hand and called out, "Goodbye, Daddy," and I frowned and said in reply "Hold your shoulders back." Then it began all over again in the late afternoon. As I came up the hill road I spied you down on your knees playing marbles. There were holes in your stockings. I humiliated you before your boy friends by making you march ahead of me back to the house. Stockings were expensive—and if you had to buy them you would be more careful. Imagine that, son, from a father. Do you remember, later, when I was reading in the library how you came in softly, timidly, with a sort of hurt, hunted look in your eyes? When I glanced up over my paper impatient at the interruption, you hesitated at the door. "What is it you want?" I snapped.

The good-night kiss. You said nothing, but ran across in one tempestuous plunge, and threw your arms around my neck and kissed me, again and again, and your small arms tightened with an affection that God had set blooming in your heart, and which even neglect could not wither. And then you were gone, pattering up the stairs.

Well, son, it was shortly afterward that my paper slipped from my hands and a terrible sickening fear came over me. Suddenly I saw myself as I really was, and became sick at heart.

What has habit been doing to me?—the habit of complaining, of finding fault—all, all of these were my rewards to you for being a boy. It was that I expected so much of youth. I was measuring you by the yardstick of my own years.

And here was so much that was good and fine and true in your character. You did not deserve my treatment of you, son. The little heart of you was as big as the dawn itself over the wide hills. All this was shown by your spontaneous impulse to rush in and kiss me good-night. Nothing else matters tonight, son. I have come to your bedside in the darkness and I have knelt there choking with emotion, and so ashamed!

It is a feeble atonement, I know. You would not understand these things if I told them to you during your waking hours; yet I must say what I am saying. I must burn sacrificial fires, alone here in your bedroom, and make free confession. And I have prayed God to strengthen me in my new resolve. Tomorrow I will be a real daddy. I will chum with you, and suffer where you suffer, and laugh where you laugh. I will bite my tongue when impatient words come. I will keep saying as if it was a recital. "He is nothing but a boy—a little boy."

I am afraid I have visualized you as a man, yet, as I see you now, son, crumpled and weary in your cot, I see that you are still a baby. Yesterday you were in your mother's arms, your head on her shoulder. I have asked too much, too much!

Dear boy; Dear little son! A peasant kneels at your infant shrine here in the moonlight. I kiss the little fingers, and the damp forehead, and the yellow curls, and if it were not for waking you I would snatch you up and crush you to my heart.

Tears came, and heartache, and remorse, and I think, a greater, deeper love when you ran through the library door and wanted to kiss me.

The shrine of sleeping childhood—I do not know of a better shrine before which a father or mother may kneel or stand than that of a sleeping child; I do not know of a holier place, a temple where one is more likely to come into closer touch with all that is infinitely good where one may come nearer seeing and feeling God. From that shrine come motives of love and laughter, of trust and cheer to bless the new day, and before that shrine should fall our soft vespers, our grate

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ful benedictions for the night. At the cot of a sleeping babe all man-made castes and inequalities are crowded out, and all mankind kneels reverently before the living image of the Creator. To understand a child, to go back and grow sympathetically with it, to hold its love and confidence to be accepted by it without fear or restraint as a companion and playmate, is just about the greatest good fortune that can come to any man or woman in this world—and perhaps in any other world, for all we know.

I am passing this confession along to the fathers and mothers who may be privileged to read it and for the benefit of all the "little fellers"—the growing, earth-blessing little "Jimmies" and "Billies" and "Marys" and "Janes" of this very good world of ours.

SHOULD PLAY PING-PONG

The Americans haven't got quite used to the grand Canadian sport called hockey yet. Perhaps it is a little too fast for them to follow. One of them, by the name of Harcourt Strange bursts forth in an American paper thusly:

I don't like the name
Of a certain rough game,
The game that they label as hockey;
They knock them so flat
That I really think that
The name of the game should be
"sockey."

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Acting under instructions from the undersigned, the following will be sold by Public Auction at S.W. Qr. Sec. 14-18-25-4, 6 1/2 Miles North-East of Ensign, 8 Miles North and 3 West of Vulcan.

Monday March 11th

Team Black Geldings, aged, weight 3000 lbs.; Team Grey Mares, 7 and 8 years, weight 2500 lbs.; Bay Mare, 10 years, weight 1600 lbs. Black Mare, 6 years, weight 1400 lbs.; Bay Mare, 9 years, 1400 lbs. Grey Mare, 9 years, 1450 lbs.

26 Head Cattle—Red Cow, 5 years old, be fresh by day of Sale; Black Cow, 6 years old, be fresh 10 days; Red Cow, 4 years old, be fresh by day of Sale; Red Cow, 6 years, milking now; White Cow, 4 years, milking now; Red Cow, 5 years, milking now; Red and White Cow, 8 years, freshen early Spring; Red Cow, 7 years, freshen in April; Roan 6-year old Cow, to freshen in March; Roan 2-year old Heifer, springing; 2 Red 2-year old Heifers, springing; White face Stock Cow, 7 years; Dry Stock Cow, 4 years; White face 2-year old Bull; 10 head Yearling Steers.

12 head of these are exceptionally good Milch Cows with Young Calves at foot.

Belted Brood Sow, to farrow by March 15th; 2 Black Sows, to farrow in April; 3 Purebred Wyandotte Cockerels; 4 Purebred Barred Rock Cockerels; 4 dozen Hens.

Two Tons of Early Six Weeks Seed Potatoes.

Terms Cash Lunch Served at Noon Sale Starts at 12:30 o'clock

ELMER C. DOVEY, Owner

D. H. DEVEREAUX, Sale Clerk C. C. REBBE, Auctioneer

AUCTION SALE

As I am giving up Farming, the undermentioned will be sold by Public Auction, at premises: N.E. Qr. Section 5-19-20-4, 6 1/2 Miles East and 1 Mile North of Milo

Wednesday, March 13th

20 Head of Horses—Team Bay Mares, 7 years, weight 2800 lbs., good leaders; Team Bay Mares, 8 years, weight 2900 lbs.; Team Bay Geldings, 5 and 9 years, 3000 lbs.; Team Blacks, Mare and Gelding, 10 years, 2900 lbs.; Team Bay Mares, 10 years, weight 2900 lbs.; Team Mares, Grey and Roan, 9 years, 2900 lbs.; Team Mares, Black and Bay, 12 and 9, 2600 lbs.; Team Blue Roans, 3 years old, broke;

Team Light Roans, 3 years, broke; Buckskin Saddle Horse; Child's School Pony. The above horses are all in the prime of condition and the young horses are of Belgian breeding with plenty of size.

6-year old Milch Cow, fresh end of this month; 50 Chickens, Barred Rocks and Wyandottes; 800 Bushels of Good Seed Oats.

2 8-foot McCormick Binders; 2 John Deere 14-inch Gang Plows; 2 20-run Single Disc Van Brunt Drills; 2 12-foot Cheney Rod Weeder; 5-Section Lever Harrow; Wagon and Rack; U.S. Army Wagon and Box; 3 3-4 McCormick Wagon and John Deere Grain Tank, 125 bushel capacity, new; Bob Sled; Walking Plow; 1 1/2 horse Fairbanks Morse Gas Engine; Pump Jack; Grindstone; Fanning Mill; Grain Elevator; Forks, Chains, Tools, Shovels and other articles.

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MRS. CARMAN W. WATT, Owner

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AUCTION SALE

Having rented my Farm, the undermentioned will be sold by Public Auction, at the premises: North-East Qr. Section 34-16-23, W.4, being 8 Miles East of Vulcan, and 2 Miles West of Reid Hill Store.

Thursday, March 14

HORSES, CATTLE, IMPLEMENTS, FURNITURE, ETC.

HORSES—Bay Mare, 12 years, 1600 lbs.; Bay Mare, 12 years, 1550 lbs.; Grey Mare, 10 years, 1525 lbs.; Brown Mare, 10 years, 1390 lbs. Black Mare, aged, 1250 lbs.; Black Mare, aged, 1200 lbs.; Black Unbroken Mare, rising 3 years, 1100 lbs.

Red Cow, 5 years old, to freshen in May; Red Cow, 3 years old, will freshen before Sale. Both of the above Cows are in A1 shape and gentle.

8-foot Deering Binder; Van Brunt Single disc 16-run Drill; 14-inch John Deere Gang Plow; 3-Section Harrow and Cart; John Deere 16-inch Sulky Plow with both bottoms; Cockshutt 3-bottom Disc Plow; 9-foot Frost & Wood Cultivator; Garden Cultivator; 5-foot Frost & Wood Mower; 10-foot Hay Rake; 3 1/2 Bain Half Truck Wagon with Triple Box; Light Buggy with Plow and Shafts; J. L. Owens Smut Machine; Chatham Fanning Mill, good as new; Road Cart; Tank Heater; 160 Rds. Barb Wire; Wheelbarrow; Forks, Chains, Tools, Doubletrees, and other articles too numerous to mention.

Set Breeding Harness; Set good lead Harness; Half Set Field Harness; 2 Sets Single Driving Harness; Number of Extra Collars; Halters, and Extra Straps, also new Harness Leather.

Fumed Oak Rocker and Arm Chair; 4 Kitchen Chairs; No. 12 DeLaval Cream Separator; Single Bed with Spring and Mattress; Extra Spring Mattress and Pillows; Edison Phonograph and Records; Oak Rocker; Wash Stand; Set Dishes; 2 pieces 12x14 Linoleum; 8x12 Linoleum; Hog Crate; Chicken Crate; Fruit; Small Number of Barred Rock Hens; and many Small Household Effects.

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FIRST INTERIM PAYMENT

An interim payment on the 1928 crop totalling more than \$26,000 will be distributed to the wheat pool members of western Canada, E. B. Ramsay, general manager of the Canadian wheat pool, announced on Thursday. The payment is 12 cents a bushel on wheat grades one to five and on

flax and rye.

Manitoba pool members will receive the sum of \$2,289,445.46 on 18,408,000 bushels of wheat and 703,760 bushels of flax and rye.

The Alberta pool payment of \$6,410,035.12 is on a fifty-five million bushel of wheat total. Total amount distributed is \$26,198,923.92.



APPEARING AT DANCE REVUE

Hector Totten and Helen Rullens, versatile entertainers, appearing at the Song and Dance Revue, given by Alice Murdoch and Pupils of the Vulcan branch, assisted by Calgary artists, at the Vulcan Theatre, Monday, March 11th.

ASQUITH'S MEMOIRS

Asquith's memoirs are not as a whole, well-written but the chapters that show preparation are decidedly good. He was a man built somewhat after Gladstone's style but without Gladstone's flair for rightness. In his book he recalls what Kinglake said about the G.O.M. "He was a good man—in the worst sense of the term." Gladstone's vision never failed him. He could always discern the divine hand of Providence directing him in the very direction he wanted to go. There are men aplenty in Canada who have the same faculty. We learned this some years ago when church union was an issue.

Even John Bright girded at Gladstone's unctuous recitade, and the fervor he displayed in urging a policy which he opposed with equal fervor a short time before. It annoyed another of his supporters even more. It was Henry Labouchere, who said he did not object to the right honourable gentleman having an extra ace up his sleeve, but he did object to his pretence that the Lord placed it there.

Asquith's estimate agrees with contemporary opinion that Gladstone was a man of vast intellectual power who exercised a tremendous influence for several generations. Asquith himself was able to exercise similar authority for one generation. Like Gladstone, he was a scholar, and beguiled his leisure (where he got it) as a marvel in the reading of books, of all sorts, including excursions into Greek and Latin authors. Unlike Gladstone, he never plunged into theological controversy. Gladstone would tackle anything and was formidable in disputation.

Laurier once told the writer that there was no room in political life for resentments, and he was singularly free from them. He had a few of them, nevertheless, though not for long. Asquith had much of the spirit of Charles James Fox who was incapable of cherishing ill-will. In his book he speaks kindly and appreciatively of foes and friends, but when he was deposed from the Premiership the iron entered his soul and he never quite forgave Lloyd George and several others whom he suspected of treachery.

In connection with the leader of a defeated Ministry, the word "downfall" is frequently used. Why it should be is not understandable when we consider that it is the common fate of all Ministries and of almost all Prime Ministers, and when we know that during his period of power he often longed to be relieved and to get away from the turmoils and vexations of public life and hobbies. It would be a misuse of the word were it not that defeat carries with it a harvest of heartburnings. Men whom he has made perhaps, men, at any rate, whom he has trusted and favored, join with the foe to encompass his defeat, and the iron sears his soul. There's no serenity proof against this.

Asquith made a valiant but disastrous attempt to come back. He was routed by Lloyd George's Coalition. That, opened the scars. But if he had come back. What of it? He could not be more than Prime Minister and he had been that before, and for a longer consecutive period than any other in the past century.

The 1929 seed catalogues are arriving through the mails. The pictures look just as enticing as ever. Girls nowadays may be scantily clad and all that, but, according to newspaper despatches, they have nothing on certain Doukhobors.

The Prohibition Union is now directing its petitions to the Senate of Canada. This shows superb courage but poor strategy. Why attempt to capture the last outpost first?

Britain's avowal of the right during war to search neutral vessels for contraband is the moving cause of American demand for "freedom of the seas" and a larger navy to procure that freedom, yet the United States themselves demand the right to "visit" neutral ships under similar purposes and they exercised that right during the Civil War and in the late war after April 1917.

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BETTER FREIGHT RATES

British Columbia is joining with Alberta, backed by the farmer organizations of the prairies, asking Ottawa for:

1. That export grain rates on the Canadian Pacific railway to Vancouver be reduced to the level obtaining to Fort William, which means a reduction of two cents per 100 pounds on the rates from Calgary to Vancouver, or 18 cents instead of 20 cents now paid.

2. That domestic grain and flour rates on the Canadian National railway and Canadian Pacific railway to tinning to Fort William, which means Vancouver be reduced to the level obtaining on the Canadian National railway of 21 1/2 cents, and on the Canadian Pacific railway 23 1/2 cents per 100 pounds, or 20 cents from Edmonton instead of the 41 1/2 cents now paid, and 18 cents from Calgary instead of 41 1/2 now paid.

3. The removal of the mountain differential in all freight rates covering the movement of all traffic in, to, from or through British Columbia.

The volume of traffic across the mountains is increasing so rapidly that some relief ought to be afforded shippers. The railway companies, of course, will oppose the reductions asked, and will point to the greater cost of operation across the mountains. That, however, should not be considered as a perpetual barrier to development of trade via the Pacific, as indeed it is not. The claims should be pressed until a satisfactory answer is received.

IN MEMORIAM

Oscar, the Barber, of Vulcan

Of all the friends I ever had, There's one, today, I'm missing. It makes me feel so very sad To miss his face of smiling.

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I see no more my friend, in person, But yet to me, I never can, Forget that Oscar Gustafson.

His daily work he gaily done With laughs and jokes and fun No finer fellow has ever gone away from us beneath the sun.

One of his greatest joys was listening To the little canaries singing. In the cage they done there pranking While our friend, went on with shaving.

He left behind to mourn in sorrow Brothers, sister, and dear wife, We don't know, maybe tomorrow That we must leave this world of strife.

Our friend has gone before us Happy thought of him will stay Trusting that he is with Jesus Landed through the narrow way.

—G.H., Vulcan.

PITHY PARAGRAPHS

We read of a Kansas woman, eighty-nine years of age, who ascribed her longevity to the fact that she always minded her own business. And some folk think that the price is too high for the benefit involved!

An optimist is one who believes that some time, somewhere, a shirt manufacturer will arise who will make a duplicate pair of cuffs for each soft shirt.

An attempt is being made in Ontario to check the publication of reports designed to affect the stock markets. Rather difficult; seeing that there are columns in the market pages of daily papers containing "news" or comments that are sure to affect prices whether published with or without design. And how is anyone to know whether it is with or without design?

"Varsity" the daily journal of the Toronto University, has got into trouble with the governors because it published an editorial approving of "petting." We don't know anything about petting but if it is anything like spooning we venture to bet that the governor's themselves have been guilty.

Even undergraduates are willing to admit that petting is not beyond their faculty.

Canada's only female M. P. went to Buffalo and made a speech condemning the President. Among other things she said Canadians couldn't understand how a country that produced a Wilson produced also a Coolidge. As she is a woman, we have no desire to keep her from talking, but is it too much to ask her to do her talking at home?

And is it too much to ask her when talking, not to assume that she is talking for Canadians?

For there are many Canadians who do not cherish her admiration for Wilson on her hostility to Coolidge.

And there are Canadians too, who feel like recasting their opinions when they learn that she agrees with them.

Chesterton, Wallace, Hutchinson and other English writers say "Aren't I." If they want to be singular, why not "Isn't I"? If they want to be grammatical why not "Amn't I," or "Am I not"?

A newspaper correspondent suggests that all names of candidates for municipal office go on one ballot, the one getting the, highest vote to be Mayor, the next Reeve, and so on. That would mean a new Mayor each year and no chance of promotion for the members of council.

A young scientist claims to have discovered a flaw in Einstein's theory and he explains what the flaw is. A smart young fellow like that should be able also to explain what the theory is.

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4 Head Good Milch Cows, to be fresh by day of Sale; 5 head of 3-year old Heifers to freshen in April and May; 2 2-year old Steers; 2 Yearlings; Holstein Bull and Grade Shorthorn Bull; Brood Sow, to farrow in April.

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CARL F. HERMAN, Owner

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J. T. WILLARD, Editor.

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BETTER SEED CAMPAIGN

The use of better seed grain will again be emphasized for the coming spring throughout Alberta as a result of the efforts of the committee recently appointed by Hon. George Hoadley, Minister of Agriculture, from representatives of a number of the better farming interests of the province. Following a similar campaign which was conducted last season, a very marked improvement was noted in the quality of seed used for the 1928 crop and it is hoped that this improvement can be still further increased in 1929. A number of radio addresses are being arranged and through the courtesy of the press a number of articles written by prominent grain growers will be given wide circulation bringing to the attention of farmers a number of defects in seed grain which should be avoided if their crops are to give the best possible yield. The efforts of the committee will be centred on the period from March 11 to 16, which will be known as "Better Seed Week." The personnel of the committee includes H. A. Craig, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, Chairman; D. A. McCannell, Publicity Commissioner, Secretary; Major H. G. L. Strange, representing the Canadian Seed Growers' Association and D. H. Galbraith, M. L.A., and Don Bark, representing the Alberta Seed Growers' Association; G. M. Stewart of the Dominion Seed Branch; F. M. Reed of the Dominion Experimental Farms; Dr. A. S. Aamodt, University of Alberta, and W. J. Stephen, Provincial Field Crops Commissioner.

The value of Alberta sugar beet crop in 1928 is placed at \$241,900 according to figures compiled by the Department of Agriculture. Some 5,200 acres of beets were harvested yielding an average of 7.22 tons per acre which will bring growers an estimated return of \$7.75 per ton. Officials of the Canadian Sugar Factories Limited report a steadily growing interest in this industry in the southern part of the province and predict that the acreage planted in 1929 will considerably exceed that of last year.

BEER RESOLUTIONS

Premier Brownlee Answers Petitioners re Liquor Act.

Premier Brownlee expressed himself as very frankly of the opinion that sentiment was swinging back toward a tightening up of liquor legislation and particularly was it growing against the beer parlor as it exists today.

"It is just as fatal for a government to move too soon and secure the support of only a slight majority, as not to move when public sentiment is ripe," said the premier. "String public sanction is necessary for the success of any liquor legislation. It is the government's business to watch the growth of public sentiment closely and in the meantime to enforce the existing law as thoroughly as possible."

The first resolution asked the withdrawal of alcohol from the list of beverages. To this the premier said the government was in entire sympathy with any limit of the sale of alcohol for legitimate purposes, but it could not be abolished entirely. He promised investigation on this point.

With regard to the second resolution, a petition for the abolition of all beer halls and all club and canteen licenses, the premier said that the abolition of the beer halls raised the question of the floating population that insisted on securing liquor of some kind, and might be driven to the bootlegger if deprived of the beer hall. He repeated the warning issued recently from the floor of the legislature that if there is not an improvement in the way beer halls are conducted in the province the government will be forced by a growing tide of public opinion to take some action to close them.

The premier took direct issue with the resolution asking the government to amend the direct legislation act so that only one question would be put at a time to the electorate and that a clear cut issue. The Premier pointed out that to do this would mean taking several votes to ascertain the will of the people by plebiscite at great expense. He thought the public sufficiently intelligent to vote on several questions in one plebiscite if they were clearly worded.

The same objection as that against abolishing the beer parlors was advanced against the resolution asking for early closing of the vendors stores. In reply to the request that liquor advertising in newspapers be prohibited the premier pointed out that this would work a hardship on the Alberta newspapers as the government had no power to stem the tide of advertising which enters the province from outside.

There is before the house at present an act providing for the licensing of auto drivers which contains drastic powers for the cancellation of licenses in cases where an automobile driver is under the influence of liquor. Premier Brownlee pointed out in reply to another request that to examine every applicant for a license as to whether or not he drinks liquor and if enough to make it unsafe for him to drive a car was obviously a physical impossibility.

The premier agreed readily to the request that the liquor profits be not earmarked saying that the government had steadfastly taken this attitude. Unless the sale of liquor was reduced to cost prices which in his opinion would be a bad thing for the general public. There must be liquor profits, but the government would not agree to these profits being allocated to any specific purpose.

The government had many other projects of a more pressing nature such as hospitalization for the insane, care of the mentally defective and provision of sanitariums for the tubercular, to undertake operations of an open home for inebriates asked for by the delegation said the premier. Personally he was not convinced that this need was as pressing as the delegation urged. In conclusion the delegation expressed their thanks for the full and courteous hearing and expressed their confidence that the government is enforcing present legislation as well as any government could be expected to do.

NEW INDUSTRY PROMISED

Another new industry of considerable importance is promised for Edmonton in the announcement made during the past week that Messrs. Dingwell and Dixon have purchased property in this city for the erection of a plant to be known as the Standard Iron Works. Construction will be started shortly on the plant which when in full operation will employ some sixty men.

INSTITUTES OF CO-OPERATION

Arrangements are now being made to hold Institutes of Co-operation at three points in the province in 1929 similar to that conducted in Edmonton last season. Lethbridge, Olds and Vermilion have been selected as suitable points for these meetings which will be held during the week of June 24 to 29. The services of a number of outstanding authorities on various phases of co-operative activity have been secured to address these meetings and to bring to the attention of Alberta farmers recent developments in co-operative work in many sections of the continent.

NEWS OF INTEREST

Latest statistics published show the province's honey production of 1928 at 336,000 pounds, with a value of \$67,200.

The resolution to make Armistice day the official Thanksgiving day for Canada instead of first Monday in November, was defeated by the House of Commons last week.

The thermometer registered eleven below zero at Petrolia on February 20 and Editor Ellis of the Advocate says that as it was not of the Western variety they suffered a chill.

A justice of the peace in Pennsylvania makes habit of returning the bridegroom's fee after performing the ceremony. There's a man who realizes that the initial cost is not the trouble, but it's the upkeep.

The purchasing power of the people of Canada increased by \$500,000,000 during 1928, when the revenue from the productive industries reached the record total of \$6,840,278,995 an increase of about \$600,000,000 over 1927.

One of the best of thrifty Scottish customs, was the paying of all debts before New Year's. The custom must have been imported from China where business men who fail to do so are declared bankrupt. A good many of the that many of them needed something like that.

Hon. Jas. Robb, minister of finance, recently announced the appointment of Frank S. Jacobs of DeWinton, Alberta, to the vacancy on the tariff advisory board. Mr. Jacobs is a farmer and succeeds Hon. D. G. McKenzie, who resigned to enter the provincial government of Manitoba.

Alberta industries paid out \$44,281,000 in wages in 1928, so Walter Smitton, commissioner of labor reports. The number of firms operating was 1,528 and they employed 33,094 males and 4,23 females over 18 years of age. The report states that there is a shortage of women workers.

Sugar beets proved the best-paying crop in the Taber-Barnwell irrigation district last year, returning an average of \$65.59 per acre. Alfalfa came second with \$25.85 per acre and wheat third with \$23.27. The average production per acre in the project was worth \$28.97.

Home Number One well in the Turner Valley came into production the other day with an output believed to be in the neighborhood of 750 barrels of naphtha with some 25,000,000 cubic feet of gas. This is considered by the trade as an indication of the possibilities of the south end of the field, where naphtha has not been obtained before.

The Lake of the Woods Milling Company, through its subsidiary, the Inter-City Baking Company, has purchased the Golden West Baking Company and the Mitchell Sanitary Baking Company of Calgary. It is said that the Lake of the Woods Milling Company contemplate erecting a new building in Calgary, in which the two concerns will be combined.

A beauty hint writer says that woman should aim to be "svelte in their deportment." We have often thought annual report submitted to the Board of Trade by C. B. McKee, retiring president. It is pointed out in this report that there have been new manufacturing plants located in Regina during the year and that four others have definitely decided to locate here. Twenty-two commercial houses have opened branches in Regina as well as six financial institutions. Seven plants, already in Regina, have extended their premises considerably.

Dr. A. C. Rutherford, Chancellor of the University of Alberta, presided at a banquet in Athabasca Hall, Edmonton last week, given by the short course students of the faculty of agriculture of the University. Other speakers were Dr. R. C. Wallace, president of the University, Mr. H. A. Craig, deputy minister of agriculture, Mr. Hagerman of Vulcan, who spoke for the students as southern representative, Mrs. Taylor of Peace River, spoke for the northern section and Mr. Elliot, representative of Central Alberta for students of that district. In the course of the evening a beautiful electric clock was presented to the faculty in token of appreciation of the short course students. The presentation was made by Mr. Haythorne.

Although the Prime Minister and the leader of the Opposition supported Mr. Cahon's proposal for a reconsideration of the question of titles in Canada, parliament summarily rejected it. The usual argument was advanced that titles are foreign to the genius of a democracy, a statement that is totally untrue. Man's love of titles and decorations is not the least important factor in the spread of fraternal societies. To these titles and decorations all may aspire, but only a few need hope for knighthoods or baronetcies. That is the difference, and the only difference between the two classes of distinction. If those members really believe that titles and decorations are repugnant to the people at large, let them test it out by prohibiting the use of titles and decorations by fraternal orders. The real reason why we are opposed to titles of honor or distinction granted by the King is that we are not likely to be offered one and are conscious that they have been conferred upon others not quite worthy, in our estimation. That is the truth. The cant is that people do not like stars and garters and ribbons and high-sounding titles. They do.

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COFFEE, Old Government Per lb.	70c	TEA, IDEAL Per lb.	49c
PRUNES, 5 lb. package	60c	RICE, KRISPES, Per package	15c
RAISINS, SEEDLESS, 5 lb. package	70c	CORN FLAKES, Per package	10c
CAKE FLOUR, Swansdown Per package	42c	SHREDDED WHEAT, 2 package	25c
HONEY, 10 lb. pail	\$1.60	ROLLED OATS, (China), Per package	40c
HONEY, 5 lb. pail	85c	PEARS, Large Tins, 2 for	55c
HONEY, 2 1/2 lb. pail	45c	PLUMS, RED Large Tins	25c

Celery, Lettuce, Bananas, etc.

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BOARD

The McQueen Boarding
House has been taken
over by Mrs. Kemp and
is now open to the public.
A trial solicited.

Mrs. Kemp
VULCAN, ALBERTA

Alberta's egg production in 1928
brought \$7,892,500 and poultry \$2-
014,500 according to provincial fig-
ures. The number of birds increased
in one year from 5,853,000 to 6,213-
706, and in value from \$4,920,100 to
\$6,095,398. Turkeys, geese and ducks
are included in the total but hens
make up the most part of it, being
5,496,130 in number and \$4,396,904 in
value.

SPECIALS GOOD UNTIL FRIDAY MARCH 15th

Oranges, sweet and juicy, 3 doz. for - - - - - 55c

Pure Ontario Honey, 2½ pail 40c
Pure Ontario Honey, 5 lb. pail 75c
Blue Ribbon Baking Powder, 16 oz 20c

Cleanser Sally Ann, 3 for 25c
Rogers Syrup, 5 lb. pail 50c
Apricots, 5 lb. pkge. 90c

Apples, Extra Fancy Grimes Golden, per box - \$2.25

Celery, Head Lettuce, Cauliflower, Ripe Tomatoes, etc.

McLAGGAN & MANSON, Groceries, Men's Wear
Etc.

TELEPHONE 131 VULCAN, ALBERTA

UNION JACK NEWS

Don't forget the C.G.I.T. St. Pat-
rick's dance at Union Jack, March 15.
Mr. and Mrs. Willie Burgess have
returned from their honeymoon trip,
which was spent at Seattle, Victoria
and different points on the coast.
After they returned, Mr. and Mrs.
Burgess put on a wedding dance,
where a big crowd spent a "dandy"
time.

Mrs. Frank Lent returned home
Saturday from the east where she
has spent the winter months.

Miss Mary Mitchell was home the
week-end from Arrowwood.

Mr. Vaux Payne was the victim of
a painful accident, having his hand
badly cut with the windshield of his
car. Everybody wishes him a speedy
recovery.

MORE TAFFY FOR US

Mr. C. B. Shear, writing from Port
land, Oregon, says:

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Finland gave
me the surprise of my life last sum-
mer when they called me, telling me
they were in Portland. The next sur-
prise was when they sent me your
very interesting paper. Having lived
in your community for nearly seven
years, and knowing everybody so well
and having been so closely associated
with the musical life of the town with
such friends as Mr. and Mrs. Gooch,
and Roy Walker, and others too num-
erous to mention. It is needless to
say that the arrival of The Advocate
is enjoyed because it is one of the
happenings of the week, even in this
busy office. I will appreciate it very
much if you will say hello for me to
Fred Simington, D. C. Jones and his
wife and Dooley Ober, because I still
think of them often even after this
long time.

THIGH HILL W. I.

Regular Monthly Meeting of Thigh
Hill Women's Institute
(Too late for last week)

The regular monthly meeting of
Thigh Hill W. I. was held at the home
of Mrs. Z. C. Deal. The meeting op-
ened with the reading of the creed
and the salute to the flag. Mrs. Mar-
kert was appointed delegate to the
Conference at Medicine Hat. Mrs.
Parson read a paper on current
events of general interest. Many
contributions were offered in aid of
a needy family reported to the In-
stitute. Material for the bazaar was
distributed. A delightful lunch was
served by the hostess during which
Miss Mabel Deal rendered several
piano solos which were very
much enjoyed. The next meeting
will be at Mrs. Pepper's, the Roll Call
to be "Something about Ireland."

Miss Jamison of Portland, Oregon
and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Jamison of
Halkirk, Alta., who have been visiting
their mother and the McTavish fam-
ily left on Monday for their homes.

The annual social evening of the
Parent-Teachers' Association, held on
March 1 was a most gratifying event
from the standpoint of attendance
and pleasure. The early part of the
evening was spent at court whist, the
winners being Miss Eula Malmberg
and Mr. Good, while consolation went
to Miss Margaret Bews and Mr. Sweet.
The dance program which fol-
lowed was varied by a number of
prize dances. Mrs. Casey and Mr. T.
Logan were declared winners in the
old-fashioned waltz contest with Mrs.
Fleming and Mr. Casey as close con-
testants. In the fox trot, Miss Setter
and Mr. Gordon Service drew first
with Miss Sweet and Mr. Hugh Mc-
Cullough also strong favorites. The
novelty circle dance was won by Mrs.
P. Matheson and Mr. Allan Murray.
Lang's five-piece orchestra furnished
very satisfactory music, and alto-
gether a very pleasant evening was
spent by parents, teachers and friends.

COMPOUND INTEREST

All the way from New York comes a
new story concerning John D. Rocke-
feller, the multi-millionaire.

A young man asked his advice as
to how best to get on in the world.
"Work hard and set yourself to buy
a gold watch," was the reply.

"Yes," queried the listener: "and
when you've bought the gold watch?"

"You don't buy a gold watch," re-
plied Mr. Rockefeller, "you buy a gun
metal one and start all over again
for a motor car."

"And when you've got the money
for a motor car?"

"Well, you remember the watch, if
you're not a fool, and go on walking
to business."—Edmonton Journal.

C. C. REBBE'S SALE CALENDAR

A. A. Dawes' horse sale, Friday,
March 8th, 6½ miles east and 2 miles
north of Blackie, 8 miles north and
2 miles east of Brant.

Elmer Dovey's sale of farm stock,
Monday, March 11th, 6½ miles north-
east of Ensign, and 8 miles north and
3 miles west of Vulcan.

George Moss' sale of farm stock
and implements on Tuesday, March
12, 8 miles west of Arrowwood, 13
miles south-east of Carlsland, and 20
miles north-east of Blackie.

Mrs. Carman W. Wat's sale of
farm stock and implements on Wed-
nesday, March 13th, 6½ miles east and
1 mile north of Milo.

E. R. Finckh's sale of farm stock
and implements on Thursday, March
14th, 8 miles east of Vulcan and 2
miles west of Reid Hill store.

Carl F. Herman's sale of farm
stock and a large line of heavy im-
plements on Friday, March 15th, 8
miles east and 4 miles north of
Queenstown and 14 miles south-east
of Cluny.

Robert Sims' sale of farm stock and
implements on Tuesday, March 19th,
1 miles west and 2 miles south of
Vulcan.

Joe and Billy Marshall's sale of
horses, cattle and farm machinery, on
Wednesday, March 20th, at the M. P.
Marshall farm, 12 miles north and 5
miles east of Vulcan, 12 miles south
of Arrowwood and 11 miles west of
Milo.

Watch for future sales dates.

PRE-ELECTION ADVICE IN U. S.

(By Will Rogers, the "Anti-Bunk"
Candidate)

I know what the farmer needs, but
I can't give it to him. But I am go-
ing to tell him before election that I
can't give it to him—not afterwards.
I can tell him what he needs. He
needs a punch in the jaw, if he be-
lieves that either of the parties care
a damn about him after the election.
That's all the farmer needs, that's all
he'll get.

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

Those interested in the beautifica-
tion of the province will be interested
in the announcement of the recent
formation of the Alberta Horticul-
tural Association. The new organiza-
tion is the outgrowth of a concerted
movement on the part of the Alberta
Fairs Association and of twelve hor-
ticultural societies in various parts of
the province. Its main purpose is to
encourage urban and rural citizens to
make the homes and home surround-
ings in Alberta more attractive by
the growing of trees, shrubs and flow-
ers. The association is interested in
assisting in the formation of addition-
al horticultural societies in the prov-
ince and will furnish information at
any time to societies or to individuals
on horticultural problems. Consider-
able assistance will be given to the
organization by H. L. Seymour, Pro-
vincial Director of Town Planning.
The organization will be directed by
the following officers: Hon. President
Hon. George Hoadley, Minister of Ag-
riculture; Hon. Vice-President, V. E.
Forster, Camrose; President, C. A.
Hayden, Calgary; Vice-President, E.
V. Kerr, Camrose; 2nd Vice-President
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Mar 7-1c

IMITATION BROWN BUFFALO
COAT—Between Correction line
and Harry Burgess' farm on the
road north of Vulcan. Finder
please notify Harry Burgess, R.R.
2, Vulcan, phone R2809.
Feb. 28-1p-1

EMBROIDERED BEDSPREAD—Lost
between town and Lorne Levering-
ton's. Finder kindly return to
Advocate office. Mar. 7-31-p.

SALE NOTICE

Tenders will be received up till
March 30th, 1929 for the purchase of
the following described property:

Queenstown U. F. A. Co-operative
Hall, located 2 miles north and 1 mile
east of Milo, Alberta, consisting of
building 72 ft. by 36 ft., furniture,
piano and Delco Light plant in excel-
lent condition.

Further particulars may be obtain-
ed from John Glanbeck, pres., Milo,
Alta., or S. Williams, acting secre-
tary. Mar. 7-2-c

HART-PARR DEMONSTRATION

Another of the factory demon-
strations, which have been so popular
recently, took place in Vulcan on
Wednesday, February 27th.

On this occasion the school was
under the charge of Hart-parr rep-
resentatives and was arranged by
Stukey's Service Station where the
chassis.

Mr. Bert Smith was in charge of
the school, with Mr. Robert Cressman
as mechanical expert.

Mr. Smith lectured in conjunction
with a film showing the growth of the
tractor industry since its birth
some thirty years ago, and as the
Hart-Parr were the pioneers of the
tractor industry this picture was edu-
cational to a special degree, as it
showed all the different types of trac-
tor built by the firm, also those ex-
perimented with. Among these were
the four cylinder vertical, and four
cylinder horizontal, also the two cylin-
der vertical, and the type which has
now been in use for more than ten
years with the greatest satisfaction.
As Mr. Smith was a recent visitor to
the factory he was able to explain
the different machines and their op-
eration, also how the efficiency of the
company's workmen, together with
the latest in equipment, enable the
Hart-Parr people to turn out a com-
plete tractor every fifteen minutes.

Mr. Cressman, who is the com-
pany's mechanical expert, took charge
of the mechanical pictures, explain-
ing the workings of all parts of the
tractor and the best method of re-
pairing same, and it was noted that
the tractor under consideration is of
most simple construction and that all
parts are easily accessible when re-
pairs in the field are needed, which
is a great consideration for the far-
mer.

Another picture showed Hart-Parr
machines doing work in the field in
all parts of the world, and altogether
the instructive and entertaining de-
monstration was much appreciated
by the good crowd in attendance.

NEW SCHOOL DISTRICTS

Fifty-six new school districts were
organized in Alberta during 1928
bringing the total number of districts
in the province up to 3,497. The en-
rolment of pupils is now approximate-
ly 160,000. Eighty-one new one-
room schools and thirteen new two-
room schools were built in country
and village districts. An outstanding
feature of the report of the Depart-
ment of Education is the marked in-
crease in the number of students en-
rolled for technical education, en-
rolment in the Institute of Technology
at Calgary having reached a total of
1,745. Approximately 500 new stud-
ents were enrolled during the year
for correspondence courses. Over
1,000 more pupils wrote the depart-
mental examinations than in any pre-
vious year. In the high school grades
their success is shown by the fact
that of all the units written 75.19 per
cent. were passed successfully.

According to figures recently issued
by the Provincial Legislature, 14,857
more automobile licenses were issued
in the province during 1928 than in
1927, being 87,221 as compared with
72,364 in 1927. During the 15-month
period ending March 31st, 1928, 307
companies were incorporated with a
capital of \$27,809,120.

FOR SALE

BED, SPRING and MATTRESS, ap-
ply to Imperial Hotel.

SOWS—Purebred Bacon Type Yorkshire
Sows to farrow in March and April,
also a Yorkshire Boar. Apply to Mrs.
W. P. Kenney, Phone 811, Nanton.
Feb 28-2t-p

OATS—800 Bushels of Oats for sale, 45c
per bushel. Phone R613, Feb 28-2t-p

MILCH COW—Fresh Milch Cow. Z. C.
Deal, Vulcan. Mar 7-1c

HORSES AND IMPLEMENTS—6 Head
of Horses, Fordson Tractor with exten-
sion rim, seven foot double disc, John
Deere 14-inch plow, and other articles.
J. Arnold Jones, Kirkcaldy, telephone
2206, Vulcan. Mar 7-1c

DRILLS FOR SALE: 1 double disc Mc-
Cormick and 1 double disc Massey-
Harris, \$50.00 each. Phone 50 ring 2,
or R613. Feb 28-2t-p

GOOD PERCHERON HORSES—1200
lbs. to 1500 lbs., also farm machin-
ery, press drills, cultivators, etc.
Apply F. M. Maiden, Sec. 10-16-23,
twelve miles S.E. of Vulcan, on
what is known as the Horace John-
son farm. Feb. 28-3-p

BABY CHICKS—Canada's Bred-to-
Lay, 100 per cent Alive. Leghorns
\$17.00 per 100; Anconas, Barred
Rocks \$18.00 per 100; Rhode Island
Reds \$19.00 per 100; Wyandottes,
White Rocks, Buff Orpingtons \$20
per 100. 12 month Poultry Course
Free. Chicks from Pen Matings,
25c each. Incubators, Brooders.
Free Catalogue. First Hatch,
March 4th. Alex. Taylor's Hatch-
ery, 362 Furby St., Winnipeg.

GARNET SEED WHEAT for sale at
\$1.15 per bushel, cleaned. Germina-
tion 97% in six days. Apply R.
R. Shatto, Arrowwood. Phone 3908,
Vulcan.

SEED WHEAT—Quantity of Seed
Wheat for Sale, 4th generation
Marquis, government germination
test 98%, six days, graded No. 1;
also 500 bushels Marquis Seed
Wheat, 4th generation, germination
test 97% in six days, all cleaned
with nine disc cleaners.—A. E.
Woodman, Phone 3803, Vulcan.

Our Weekly Store News

Men's Spring Tweed Overcoats

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